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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

TANAKA, SHINOBU

Continuation of

Appln. No.: 09/411,256

Prior

Confirmation No. Unknown

Group Art Unit: 2167

Filed: June 19, 2001

Prior Examiner: G. O'Connor

For: SINGLE LEVER WITH BUTTON FOR SELECTIVELY CONTROLLING EITHER  
TILT OR LIFT OF A FORKLIFT MECHANISM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE TITLE:**

Please delete the present title and replace it with the following new title:

--SINGLE LEVER WITH BUTTON FOR SELECTIVELY CONTROLLING EITHER  
TILT OR LIFT OF A FORKLIFT MECHANISM--.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please enter the following amended claims:

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